6. The shaped seal sect forth in claim 5, characterized in the sid electrically conductive portion comprises lips or tabs for securing said shaped seal to said flange or to said frame.

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- 7. The shaped seal as set forth in claim 1, characterized in that said anti-trap guard portion comprises a hollow chamber in which at least one of said electrically conductive portions is arranged.
- 8. The shaped seal as set forth in claim 7, characterized in that said hollow chamber serves to seal said powered closing device.
- 9. The shaped seal as set forth in claim 1, characterized in that said electrically conductive portion provided separate from said carrier, said flange, or said frame comprises a metallic conductor.

## **REMARKS**

The forgoing Preliminary Amendment removes the multiple dependent claims.

Favorable action is requested.

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